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In re Application of:

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Douglas B.

Application Number: 09/476,419

Art Unit: 2142

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For: A RESOURCE MANAGER FOR  
PROVIDING USER-DEPENDENT  
ACCESS CONTROL FOR A  
NETWORK OF CONSUMER  
ELECTRONIC DEVICES

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RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT OF APPEAL

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 21, 2004, the  
Applicant respectfully requests further examination and reconsideration of the  
above captioned patent application in view of the remarks set forth below.

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